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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Takao HASEGAWA, et al.)	
)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Application No.: Unassigned)	
National Stage Date: April 7, 2005)	Examiner: Unassigned
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National Stage of PCT/JP03/12843)	
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For: STAPLE CASE)	

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please amend
the application as follows: